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TOPIC

Soviet Troops Arriving in the Schweinrich Training Area

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DATE PREPARED 5 May 1953

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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED Information

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The following detrainments were observed at the Dranse railroad station:

On 13 April: 4 armored personnel carriers 2 jeeps
3 armored personnel carriers trucks, 4 x 76.2-mm
AT guns, 2 tank trucks and radio truck
The troops and equipment were picked up at the station by motor vehicles

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On 14 April: 34 trucks with troops and equipment including

5 trucks towing 122-mm howitzers
1 jeep, 3 armored personnel
carriers tank truck 14 radio trucks
8 armored personnel carriers and 17 T-34/85 tanks

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On 15 April: 6 T-34/85 tanks, 47 trucks with troops and equipment

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12 trucks with AA guns of
undetermined caliber, radio truck tank truck 4
armored personnel carriers, 7 M-31 rocket launchers, 15 SU-100s
and 6 T-34/85 tanks.

Comment: Unloadings of units of the 18th Mecz Div from 19 trains
in Dranse and Wittstock between 12 and 18 April were previously reported

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